

SANDGATHE NAMED AERO CLUB'S PILOT

Private pilot to Dr. A. O. Scott of Bassano, Alberta's "flying doctor" since 1930, J. Howard Sandgathe, well-known local airman, has been appointed flying instructor and air engineer of the Calgary Aero Club, officials of the club announced today.

Mr. Sandgathe was appointed at a director's meeting to assume the post of George Clarke, who has left the club to accept a private flying contract.

Local flyers greeted Mr. Sandgathe's appointment with considerable satisfaction, as he learned to fly in Calgary and at one time was the youngest holder of a pilot's license in Canada. When a boy of 16, he joined the Calgary Aero Club. In 1920 he was employed by the Great West Airways, but since that time has been Dr. Scott's private flying instructor.

He brought Dr. Scott's plane, a Grays Motor, from Toronto in 1931, and has been instrumental in it, down it on tours and used it for student training.

Flying the same machine, he won first money in every one of the five competitions held at the last air show in Calgary. He was one of the four commercial pilots to be given the first training course in blind flying by the R.C.A.F. Camp, Toronto, Ontario, and was one of the original three pilots in Alberta to be given a permanent flying instructor certificate. He also holds an air engineer's certificate—Calgary Herald.

Duchess

DUCHESS, Apr. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Austin of Regina spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Porter.

Mrs. M. Root, who has been visiting in Medicine Hat, has returned.

Mr. Wiggo, who has spent the last few months at the E. H. home, has gone to her farm near Stettville where she will spend the summer before returning to her home in New York.

Mrs. Cecil Sator returned Tuesday morning from Medicine Hat, where she was a patient in hospital.

Miss Dorothy Robinson, who teaches near Linsford, spent a part of the Easter holidays with her sister, Mrs. Alf Ingelgaard, and family.

Rosemary Ladies' Club

(Special To The Mail)

The Rosemary Ladies' club held their Easter meeting Monday at the home of Mrs. C. C. Naram on Tuesday, April 19. Nine members and six visitors were present.

The main feature of business was the donation of \$10 to the hockey boys to help defray past expenses. Farewell gifts were then given to Mrs. Fred McManis, who is leaving the community soon.

Following the meeting, the tea hour was enjoyed very much by all present. The meeting place for May will be announced later.

Countess

COUNTRESS, Apr. 21. Miss Jessie Williams returned from Calgary Sunday night, and school resumed Monday morning.

Jim Heidt left for Brooks Sunday night to begin work there.

Miss Mabel Waltemath of Gies is practicing teaching in Countess this week.

Mrs. A. L. Cador and Eddie spent Easter week in Bassano visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cowan and Alice spent two days in Calgary the first of the week.

Mrs. E. R. Heidt has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Gamble have returned to their farm at Countess after spending the winter in Bassano. Jeanne, Donna and Mary Anne are staying in town until school closes.

Norman Gamble arrived home last week from Three Hills, where he spent the winter.

A very successful card party was held last Wednesday in the Community hall. Five hundred was played at seven tables. The ladies' first, a plant, was won by Miss Evelyn Ferguson, second prize, a dish, by Mrs. George McIntosh. The third prize, an Easter egg, by Donna Gamble. Gentlemen's first was won by Mr. George McIntosh, consolation went to Bill Granger. After card a delicious lunch was served by the ladies.

Gem

GEM, Apr. 21.—A great deal of visiting was done by the Gentiles during the Easter holidays. The Normal school students who were home for the week are Misses Elsie Callison, Mabel Waltemath and Betty Wallace.

Miss Lorraine Parrot spent the holidays with her cousin, Miss Maurine Ferguson.

The Gem teachers all spent their holidays at their homes except Miss C. Hanna, who visited her sister in Nordskog.

Miss Grace Ferguson was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Pollock, during Easter week.

Robert Chamberlain, who has been in the States since last fall, returned home last week. Marie Chamberlain also returned home last week from Three Hills, where she had been attending the Prairie Bible school.

Miss Marguerite Edwards was home for five days last week.

The play "Daan Dabbe" was presented in Duchesne last Friday night and in Tilley on Saturday. The players were thoroughly appreciated for the cooperation of the members of both communities and were well pleased with the reception accorded by the play in both communities.

Miss Ingrid Riste, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Clark White for the past three months, returned to her home at Hildeberg on Saturday.

Mr. R. Edwards has gone to Ardson to make preparations for planting in a crop on his farm there.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Collins visited relatives in Duchesne Sunday.

Starting next Sunday there will be Sunday school held in the school house every Sunday at 10:30. Miss Marie Chamberlain will be the superintendent. Church services will also be held Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Seifried and family, W. E. Pollock and Miss L. Pollock were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. A. P. Miller on Sunday.

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The committee who put on the dinner in Gem last Wednesday night went to bank all those who helped make the dinner a success. The net proceeds of four dollars will be used for the Gem fund.

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Mr. and Mrs. Horsford, who have spent the winter in Gm, returned to Bassano last week.

Hussar

HUSSAR, Apr. 20.—On Tuesday afternoon the Hussar Brownies met at the home of Dorothy LeGrandeur.

The meeting opened with singing the owl call. Something of special interest was given at roll call. Several brownies brought old coins for the collection. The main theme of the afternoon was intensive Brownie work.

Mrs. LeGrandeur served a delicious lunch after the meeting.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid will hold a bazaar and card party in the hall on Friday evening, April 24, and a picnic to follow. Every one is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. H. H. Maurer and Jimmie Dundas were Hussar visitors on Sunday.

John Simko, teacher of the Tower school, returned to the teachers on Sunday. His father, W. Simko, took home from Calgary on Friday to begin his school work.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McLean and daughter came up from Calgary Sunday for a visit with the Bells and Bobbie, who had spent Easter week here, returned with them.

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WM. EDWARD WEEKS OF CROWFOOT DIES

The people of Crowfoot community were greatly shocked by the sudden death of William Edward Weeks, 24, better known to everyone as Teddy, one of Crowfoot's most popular young men. Ted had been working near Clearholm all winter and came home for the Easter holidays when he took ill suddenly with pneumonia.

Dr. Scott of Bassano was summoned and he was taken to the Bassano hospital, where he died early Thursday morning, April 16.

Ted was born on October 25, 1911, at Glenora, and for the past 17 years had been living in this district. He leaves to mourn his absence his mother and father Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weeks, one sister Edith, a brother Jack, who is attending school in Winnipeg, and a large circle of friends.

Funeral services were conducted in Glenora at the United church at 3 p.m. last Sunday, and interment was made in the cemetery.

The burial bearers were Syd Rodbourne, Verl Campbell, Gordon Walker and James Kerrick of Glenora.

"How sweet to sleep where all is green,"

Where sorrow cannot reach the breast.

When all life's idle throbbings cease.

And pain is lulled to rest."

CAPTIVES RELEASED FROM MINE PRISON

Daring Workers Pierce Rock Barrier, Release Pair Entombed 11 Days.

Though Suffering From Hunger and Exposure, Will Pull Through.

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H. S. Banquet Friday

The banquet and dance sponsored by the literary society of the Bassano high school will be held in the Macdonald hall on Friday evening, April 24, commencing at 6:30. Following the banquet a play will be presented by the students.

The separate place is being charged for the dance alone for those not attending the banquet.

BOARD OF TRADE TO PLANT MORE TREES

Trees for East Side of Highway from Tennis Courts North—To Apply to Establish Bassano Supplemental Exam. Centre—Carnival Committee to be Appointed by Executive

Trees from the board of trade nursery will be planted from the tennis courts north along the east side of the highway leading out of town, and along the north side of the proposed road for firetrucks, the board of trade. Irrigation ditches will be constructed to provide water for the tree belt.

This will complete the belt of trees around the town and will add greatly to the general appearance; it was felt by the members that a good move had been made in accepting the proposal. No definite report as yet has been received regarding the construction of the firetrucks on the east side of the school, which, when built, will be enclosed by the new circle of trees.

A meeting was passed at the board meeting instructing the secretary to write the proper provincial authorities making application for establishment of a centre for the supplemental examinations in the high school course. This matter was taken up with the deputy minister of education, Ottawa, by the board of trade, the school board and students' parents; but refusal was met with indications point to better results this time.

In preparation for the big July 1 celebration, the executive were empowered to appoint a carnival committee to commence plans. The organizing committee consists of A. McKee, J. H. Shiles and Jas. Johnston.

At the regular meeting, were present at the regular meeting of the board Wednesday, President Jas Johnston in the chair.

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WEDDING

GIBB—BUNCKOWSKY

The marriage of William John Gibb, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gibb, Esq., Alberta, and Emma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bunckowsky of Medicine Hat, took place at the United church manse, Brooks, on Friday, April 17, at 2:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Ed Peever and Mrs. G. H. Shiles acted as witnesses and Rev. R. H. Hinchey performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Gibb will reside in Gm.

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DANGER NEGLIGIBLE DRINK'G TAP WATER

Muddy Water Regularly Yields Occasional Bacteria—River's Breakup Causes Silt—Not Necessary to Boil Water—Chlorination Plant Safeguards—Water Much Clearer Now.

Slight consternation has been felt by numerous residents of Bassano over the muddy condition of the tap water during the past two weeks, the general belief being that diseases may be contracted easily as a result of silt in the water.

Discoloration of water by silt has been a regular occurrence every spring since the water system was constructed, and it is caused by the breaking up of the river ice and the sudden movement of large body of water. "Muddy" water was, however, augmented somewhat this spring due to the water level in the lake at the dam being lowered to allow necessary repairs to the structure; this caused the current to swing around to the banks under the ice on a new course.

The danger of disease being contracted during this period," said Dr. Scott, "is negligible."

Dr. Scott also stated that he did not believe it necessary to boil the water for drinking purposes.

The Mail learned further that the possibility of contracting diseases such as typhoid and scarlet fever from the tap water is negligible.

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Real Speed Record Made By Arrowwood Residents

The Bow Valley Resource (Arrowwood) reports that Don Bowman and Bill Alstott nearly broke speed record in coming from Toronto, Washington, to Arrowwood, a distance of 655 miles in 11½ hours.

Now this, we are told, is an age of speed. But averaging nearly 60 miles an hour on anything but a race course is just a little beyond our comprehension. Let alone on any road in Alberta.

We are not saying we don't believe it. But if they did accomplish the feat, they came closer to breaking something other than a record. Assuming, of course, that they drove by auto.

And even motorcycles, we are told, are not the ultimate in safety for fast driving.

Perhaps, though, they came by aeroplane.

We hope so.

DREAVERMAN TELLS STORY OF RESCUE

Found Trapped Men Sitting in Shaft Laughing With Rescuers

By Joseph Nearing, Dreaerman MOORE RIVER, N.S., Apr. 23.—There were two men in a shaft of mine—the ones on the face.

When I wrigled through the two men—Dr. Robertson and Scadding—were sitting laughing one to the other with a tooth out in front.

They were tired to death. One of our men asked them jokingly if they wanted to walk up. The little man—Scadding—replied, "No, boys, take it easy."

Very little crawling has been done in cars around here for the last two weeks owing to the very bad roads. When Phillips was able to go to Calgary on Friday for

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May God forbid our saying on this page the things that merely please. We would be humble in our opinions; we would be considerate of the opinions of others; but we would not be unkind of the immutable laws of cause and effect; for therein lies the wisdom of the ages.

CANADA'S WAR COSTS

It is the opinion of some well-informed people that Premier Mackenzie King will not permit Canada to become entangled in any foreign war unless a plebiscite results in a strong vote in favor of such participation.

Such a policy undoubtedly has strong support in Canada right now. But whether such support could be maintained in the eventuality of another war in which Great Britain might participate is another question. Feeling runs high when bands are playing and when there are warring.

Ordinary common sense would suggest that Canada should keep out of foreign wars. The last war has ruined the country financially as well as caused the death of only too many of the best of Canada's youth and the maiming of thousands more.

The participation of Canada in the Great War cost \$12,418,989,901, according to a careful tabulation by Grant DeLoe, veteran parliamentary reporter. The figure includes all expenditures up to 1925.

If that was the total cost it would not be too bad, but the expenditure is annually paying out between \$4,000,000 and \$50,000,000 for war widows, veterans, their dependents, etc. The care of these people is a solemn obligation and law there are who would seek to shirk this responsibility, or urge that the government do so. But future wars would only add to this enormous burden.

The tabulation of war costs to Canada are listed by Mr. DeLoe as follows:

Direct war expenditures to:	
1914	\$1,696,898,653
Pensions to 1935	611,836,554
Re-establishment to 1935	223,691,732
Railways' settlement and administration	24,848,554
War graves	1,811,287
Hallifax explosion	6,000,000
Interest on war debt	1,743,402,150
TOTAL	\$1,341,488,901

RULERS, HIGHBORN AND LOWBORN

State-manship is a science that needs as careful study as mathematics, says The Toronto Globe, and there are few bandits, baggage smashers and house decorators born with a full knowledge of that science.

As examples of this doctrine The Globe cites Hitler of Germany, Mussolini of Italy, King Zog of Albania.

To support this doctrine The Globe cites Hitler of Germany, who was a house decorator; Mussolini of Italy, who, among other things, was a baggage-smasher; King Zog of Albania, who came of peasant stock; Stalin of Russia, who was an outcast and the son of an artisan; and Dolfuss of Austria, humbly born.

All of which is arrant snobbery, the product of unbalanced reasoning and narrow vision.

If any class of men should, by careful training, exceed all others in state-manship, kings and emperors should be that class. Not only were they "born to the purple" but given every opportunity in the way of training, abundance of wise counsel, education, travel and experience, but did they prove efficient rulers?

Was Emperor Nicholas of Russia a superior ruler to Stalin? The reckoning has yet to be made up but Russia has made more progress, in so far as her terming military, are concerned, in the last ten years than in any previous decade.

Compare George III of England to the lowly born Lloyd George and who is there that would cast the balance in favor of the former? Or the dissolute, degenerate Bourbons to Clemenceau, or the House of Braganza to Bolivar.

Mussolini is in the shade of British hatred and suspicion right now but who knows whether or not he will bring Italy into a place of power and authority in the world today. Hitler may have been a paperhanger but he has united the great and powerful German nation in a way no Hohenzollern could have done.

Masaryk and Dr. Benes of Czechoslovakia are low-born but who among the world's statesmen are superior to this brace of men?

And the rail-splitting Abe Lincoln cannot be allotted a place below any of the great statesmen of history—highborn or lowborn.

THE WEEKLY NEWSPAPER'S JOB

"There hasn't been a fire," complains The Nantucket Inquirer, "there hasn't been a bank robbery, there have been no births, there has not been a runaway horse, there has not been a railway accident and there has not been a shipwreck."

"There has not been a murder, no one has fallen from a roof, no tramps or suspicious-looking persons have been seen hanging around, no airplanes have cracked up, there has not been a holdup, no man has run away with another man's wife, no one has absconded with another's money. As a matter of fact there hasn't been a really good dog-fight to enliven Main street."

All of which, of course, was hard on the news collector, but such dire events are not always necessary to provide a newsy newspaper.

We are more concerned with progressive editors—the starting of a new industry, a farmer having excellent success in raising and disposing of his hogs, a family building a new home, a student's success in school.

Newspapers should not hope for tragedies in order that news columns should be filled with lurid sentences. A murder, a theft, the breaking up of a home, the death of a human being in an accident—all are major tragedies and things we don't like to see happening.

Weekly newspapers must, in the nature of their business, be concerned with smaller and less sensational happenings. The weekly editor is the local historian and his job is to paint humbler scenes on possibly narrower canvases. But nevertheless it is a useful task when properly carried out.

WESTERN CENSUS TO BE HELD

The quinquennial census of the prairie provinces of Western Canada will be held this year, starting June 1. There was serious talk of foregoing this tabulation of people this year because of the expense, but it was finally decided that the statistics had to be observed and the count will be made.

Thirty-five hundred people will be employed in the count and the information required will not be nearly as extensive as in the decennial census. It will be confined to population and to agriculture. In the latter respect the survey will show farm acreage under cultivation, average sown to the various grains, average yields and numbers of men and machines employed.

In 1935 the population of the western provinces were estimated as follows: Alberta 780,000, Saskatchewan 978,000, and Manitoba 739,000. This gives a total of almost two and a half million people living in these great provinces.

WHAT WILL HAPPEN

It has always been the contention that the default of a bond issue by a government would bring about some sort of a calamity and so Alberta people are watching for all kinds of developments.

Probably the expected will not happen soon and maybe it will not be such a dire calamity as is predicted. But certainly the province will lose the privilege—if you could call it that—of going into debt.

When credit is lost the only way left is a cash system. So Alberta will have to "pay as it goes."

Common honesty, however, suggests that every possible means be tried to pay debts incurred in the past as closely to the terms outlined as is possible.

ATTENTION, ANGLERS!

With the fishing season rushing toward it at the rate of 60 seconds a minute (and it isn't half fast enough for ardent anglers) men of the rod and reel may be interested to know why hungry fish literally swarming in lakes and rivers sometimes merely play with the baited hook and don't make a sudden grab.

A scientist, whose name is not disclosed, explains why the finny denizens of the deep sometimes act in such a peculiar way. He says these fish probably have toothache due to caries. The cause of the decay, according to this savant's findings, seems to be mottled enamel, brought about by fluoride iron in the water where they live.

The next time you don't get a hefty tug on the line when you know there are fish playing with your bait you might get results by dipping the worm in some toothache remedy before placing it on the hook.—Kitchener Daily Record.

It is sometimes said that bridge has killed conversation, but are those who say this assuming that the bridge players had some conversation to be killed?

In Search of Canada

The Gateway, official organ of the University of Alberta, presents this illuminating geographic sketch of our dominion.

Canada is a British possession surrounded by the United States. It is bounded on the east by Labrador, which is barren, and Hudson's Bay, which is not so barren on 30-day days. The west is not very well known, except to the west. Wheat is raised on the prairie. The price of wheat is raised in the elevators. More money can be made by raising the price than by raising the wheat, so they are thinking of doing away with the prairie.

Canada has two railway systems—the Canadian National and the Canadian Pacific. They run from St. John and Halifax in the east into Vancouver and the west. The government is at loss to know why they operate the Canadian National.

They are trying to sell it to the Canadian Pacific. The Canadian Pacific is trying to sell the Canadian Pacific to the government. The law of supply and demand tends to depress the price of railway systems.

They have two types of freight rates, discriminatory and favored. Discrimination is the kind they use in your district.

When Jacques Cartier first discovered the country it was over-run by the men known as Indians. Now the country is over-run by red men known as Canadians.

Canada is blessed with vast natural resources. Her people are a very industrious people, 1,200,000 are unemployed. Some of these are said to work for the government. The principal exports of Canada are lumber and hockey players for the Olympic Games. The Olympic games are for the purpose of fostering international goodwill. Italy is leading her winter sports in Africa.

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The bookkeepers and Social Credit people have been ground to a perfect parabolic curve and will be given a coating of aluminum. The mirror will then resemble a plain, shiny saucer, with a hole in the center.

LIGHTER VEIN

Editor: Won't you walk as far as the street car with me, Tommy? Tommy (sighs): I can't. Editor: Why not? Tommy: 'Cause we've got to go to dinner as soon as you go.

The owner of a modest car drove to a filling station and asked for a pint of gas and two ounces of oil. "Right," said the attendant. "Now, would you like me to shove in the tires?"

"Doctor, my wife has insomnia every body. She very often remains awake until 2 o'clock in the morning. What shall I do for her?" "Go home earlier."

First Hunter: Hey, Bill! You there?

Second Hunter: Yeah.

First Hunter: Then I've shot a deer.

"You look all in today, Bill. What's the trouble?"

Bill: "Well, I didn't get home until after daylight, and I was just undressing when my wife woke up and said: 'Aren't you getting up pretty early, Bill?' And in order to save an argument I put on my clothes and came down to the office."

He brushed his teeth twice every day with a nationally advertised tooth brush, the doctors examined him twice a year; he wore rubbers when it rained; he slept with the windows open; he stuck to a diet with plenty of fresh vegetables; he relinquished his tonsils and traded in several worn out glands; he golfed, but never more than 15 holes; he never smoked, drank or lost his temper; he did his daily dawn duty; he got at least eight hours of sleep each night.

The funeral will be held next Wednesday. He is survived by 18 specialists, four health institutes, six symphonies and numerous manufacturers of health foods and antiseptics. He had forgotten about trains at grade crossings.

Doctor: Humph! I can't quite diagnose your case. It seems to be faint. Oh, I see. Now, look 'ere, doctor. Would you like me to come again when you're sober?

Teacher: Now, I want you to notice how class James's hands always are. James, tell the class how it is that you keep your hands so nice?

James: Ma makes me wash the dishes every morning.

World's Largest Telescope May Shed New Light On Riddle Of The Universe

Astronomers estimate the new 200-inch telescope using the great mirror will double the distance man can see to some 3,600,000,000,000 million miles.

It is expected to bring into view 100 million galaxies like the one of the earth's solar system moves in; to shed new light on the riddle of what the universe is doing, and perhaps to solve the intriguing question of whether there is life on Mars.

Theoretically, but not practically, the man-made telescope will be powerful enough to show a skyscraper on the face of the moon or to spy across the country into the windows of the capital in Washington.

The big sky-eye is being erected atop 6,000-foot Mount Palomar in the clear-air San Diego mountains near the Mexican border. San Diego, nearest big city, is 129 miles away, assuring that there will be no bothersome ground lights.

California Institute of Technology is the builder, aided technically by Mt. Wilson observatory, whose 100-inch Hooker telescope the new giant will succeed as the world's largest.

Upon completion some time after 1940, the telescope will become America's largest and costliest tool. The great mass will weigh some 500 tons. The expected cost has not been estimated, but guesses of various scientists range from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000.

The "great eye," the mirror to be delivered by a New York state glass works, is the heart of the new instrument.

For four years the big chunk of pyrex, nearly 17 feet across and 22 inches thick, will be whirled under a grinding tool inside a cork-lined, air-conditioned "laboratory." For all its 17 tons, the glass will be handled easily as a round of cheese by a 10-ton grinding machine, bulking 40 feet long and 30 high.

Some time in 1929 or 1940 the glass will have been ground to a perfect parabolic curve and will be given a coating of aluminum. The mirror will then resemble a plain, shiny saucer, with a hole in the center.

Mounted at the bottom of a 55-foot steel tube balanced so delicately as to move almost as a finger's touch, the mirror will begin its job as a "great eye" some 360,000 times as effective as a human eye.

Contrary to popular belief, the telescope will not magnify. The mirror will act as a "light funnel." All light

reaching the 200-inch circle will be reflected inward, because of the curved surface, to a single beam small enough to enter the eye.

A distant star's image reflected to this point of focus will be bright and sharp. Subsequently this image then may be magnified greatly through a set of lens without becoming fuzzy, as a photograph by a high-powered camera may be enlarged more than one from a cheaper one without losing its distinctness.

Distortion caused by the earth's atmosphere limits the degree of magnification possible. Thus, though the telescope theoretically is powerful enough to show up two bright spots 30 feet apart on the face of the moon, this power cannot be realized.

Further, astronomers will not waste time pointing the 200-inch giant at the moon and other nearby objects well within smaller telescope's range. The new instrument will pick up where the present world's largest telescope leaves off.

Present limits of the Mt. Wilson telescope is 1,800,000,000,000,000 million miles, where Dr. Edwin Hubble has glimpsed far-off nebulae. Mt. Wilson astronomers estimate the 200-inch telescope should double the range of the 100-inch instrument.

Astronomers using the new telescope at direct focus will perch in a carriage-shaped carriage in the middle of the 55-foot tube near the top. They will look directly down at the mirror.

Under other arrangements, a small mirror, instead of the astronomers, will be placed at the end of the tube. The image will reflect the star images back through a hole in the center of the "great eye." In another type of focus, a mirror placed at 45-degree angle will reflect the light off to one side.

Astronomers will do little direct "seeing." Most of the work will be done photographically. A camera plate exposed to the reflection from the "great eye" for hours will pick up dim stars and nebulae that a direct visual observation would miss. The developed photographs are studied under microscope later.

When a man leaves his side and goes to the other side, he is a traitor, and we always feel that there was a subtle something wrong about him. But, when a man leaves the other side and comes over to us, he is a man of great courage, and we always feel that he had sterling stuff in him.

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Local and Personal News Notes

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Const. A. Batts, formerly of Gleichen and more recently of Brooks, has been transferred to Calgary.

Miss Lorraine Parrott spent the holidays with her cousin, Miss Marie Ferguson of Glen.

Mr. and Mrs. Herford, who have spent the winter in Glen, returned to Bassano last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McLaws and family motored to Calgary for a few days about last week-end.

Mrs. J. Scott of Regina was visiting her sister, Mrs. A. P. Thompson, a few days last week.

Wm. Summerholl of Brooks visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Summerholl last Thursday.

Mrs. J. C. Bough returned to Bassano recently after a week visiting Mrs. T. Ingelberg here.

Mrs. W. F. Keith and children, Fraser and Gordon, are in Calgary this week.

A meeting of the Bassano Golf club will be held Thursday evening (thought) at 8:00 in the Bank of Commerce building.

Dr. A. G. Scott and Dr. A. Wilson attended a meeting of Alberta Medical association, District No. 2, held in Brooks last Sunday afternoon.

Wm. McLaws drove a number of hockey fans, including his son Gordon, Billie Stiles, Ted Calbeck, Ted Gammon, Gordon Pink and the editor to Calgary Monday night to see the Maple Leaf-Blackhawk game.

Two federal government veterinarians from Calgary passed through Bassano Wednesday night to Medicine Hat, where they will take the tuberculin test on cattle for the next two weeks.

W. A. Brody of the Bassano Creamery attended a meeting of Associated Creameries in Calgary last week. Important business matters were discussed relating to amalgamating the Associated Creameries with the A.M. Pool.

Word has been received from Canton, Ohio, that Mrs. Ray Phillips, well known in Bassano and Brooks, died there March 4. Her mother, Mrs. Fryer, and family resided in Cassia for several years before moving to Canton.

Those who are attending the Calgary Normal school are now practicing teaching at neighboring rural schools. Miss Dorothy Flanagan is at the Crowfoot school, Miss Hazel Barlow at Hollybush school near Glene, and Miss Florence Playfair at Princess school near Patricia.

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